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TOWN MEETING MARCH 12, 1985

ModeratorGeorge Green (Appt. 1984)
Town ClerkCynthia Anderson (Appt. 1983)
Deputy Town ClerkRobert E. Moore (Appt. 1984)

Selectmen

Arnold Putney (1985)
Louise Jacewicz (1986)
Vernon McIntire (1987)

Supervisors of the Check List

Erma Cole (1990)
Florence Butcher (1986)
Grace Patten (1988)

Secretary to the Board: Robert Moore

Town Personnel

AuditorElizabeth Green
Civil Defense DirectorFrank Anderson
CustodianElba Jillson
Fire ChiefByron Charles
Fire Warden and DeputiesWilliam Anderson, Warden

Byron Charles

Bernard Manning

Dallas R. Patten

Malcolm F. Patten

David N. Reney

Matthew Waddell

Health OfficerDr. Robert Z. Klein

LibrarianCeleste Klein

New London Hospital Bd. of DirectorsJohn Chiarella

Overseer of the PoorCora Bresnahan

Police OfficerRussell LeBrecht

Police DeputyHarold Wheeler

Representatives to the General CourtMerle Shotanus

Sara Townsend

Representatives to Upper Valley/ Lake Sunapee Council .George Thomson

Jay Booker

Representatives to Solid Waste DistrictGeorge Thomson

George Green

Jay Booker

Representative to Sullivan County Engineering

Review CouncilGeorge Thomson

Road AgentThomas Patten

Surveyor of Wood and LumberHarry Cole

Tax CollectorCynthia Anderson

Deputy Tax CollectorRobert E. Moore

Town TreasurerAmelia W. Anderson

Trustees of Trust FundsBeverly McIntire (1984)

Barbara Reney (1985)

Carlisse Wilson (1986)

Budget Committee

Jay Booker	1985	Bernard Manning	1987
George Green	1987	Malcolm Patten	1987
James Hathaway	1985	David N. Reney	1986
Bruce Jasper	1985	Carlisse Wilson	(Appt. 1985)
Henry Kidder	1986		

Cemetery Commission

Russell LeBrecht, 1985

Conservation Commission

Janet Booker	1987	Henry Kidder	1988
Paul Currier	1986	Bernard Manning	1985
		Michael Howard	1989

Kearsarge Visiting Nurse Association

Dona Chiarella	Dr. Robert Z. Klein
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Library Trustees

Sue Anderson (Appt. 1985)	Marilyn Johnson (Appt. 1985)
Muriel Tinkham	1985

Planning Board

Janet Booker	1985	David N. Reney	1986
Michael Kancer	1985	George Thomson	1987
Richard S. Kidder	1987	Allen Wilson	1986
Arnold Putney	Selectman		

Recreation Committee

Donald Gambino	Barry Dashner
Cynthia Anderson	Janet LeBrecht
Diane Charles	

School Representative

Constance Jones, (Appt. May 1983)

Town Buildings Committee

Jay Booker	Janet LeBrecht
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Resignations

George Bresnahan, Recreation Committee	June 11, 1984
Albert Jones, Moderator	October 30, 1984
Celeste Klein, Library Trustee	April 18, 1984
Beverly McIntire, Library Trustee	December 1, 1984
Ora Philbrick, Recreation Committee	June 4, 1984

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

The Polls Will Be Open From 11:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M.

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Springfield in the (L.S.) County of Sullivan, in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Springfield on Tuesday, the twelfth day of March, next at eleven of the clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.
3. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money on notes of the Town in anticipation of taxes.
4. To see if the Town will approve to continue the management and sale of Timber in any Town Forest lands under the supervision of a qualified forester.
5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the withdrawal from the Revenue Sharing Trust Fund established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972, for use as a set-off against budget appropriations for the following priority purposes and in the amount indicated; or take any other action thereon.

Purpose:	Garbage Disposal	\$12,000.00
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6. (Requested by the Library Trustees) To see if the Town will vote to create a Capital Reserve Fund to be used as a Library Building Fund and to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000.00 to be put in said fund.
7. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to raise and appropriate \$9,000.00 for the purchase of a new cruiser for the Police Department. (Yes or No by printed ballot and use of checklist).
8. To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to apply for, accept and expend, without further action by the town meeting, money from the state, federal, or other governmental unit or a private source which becomes available during the fiscal year pursuant to RSA 31:95-b.

9. (By Petition) To see if the Town will vote to plow and maintain 1,200 feet of road known as the Old Croydon Road leading to the residence of Richard and Betty Waddell. The road was reopened by a vote of townspeople on Town meeting Day in 1978.

10. To see if the Town will vote to accept the budget as submitted by the Budget Committee.

11. To hear the reports of the Officers and Standing Committees.

Given under our hands and seal, this twenty-first day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and eighty-five.

LOUISE B. JACEWICZ

VERNON McINTIRE, *Selectmen of Springfield*

ARNOLD PUTNEY

A True Copy of Warrant-Attest:

LOUISE B. JACEWICZ

VERNON McINTIRE, *Selectmen of Springfield*

ARNOLD PUTNEY

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

The Year That Was

During 1984 several committees composed of energetic townspeople who gave much time and effort working on town projects made notable progress in certain areas. To mention a few — The Conservation Commission after reviewing most of the Town Forest lands has worked on a plan which may eventually result in a larger tract of town-owned land around the Library, the Town Hall and the Highway Garage . . . The Solid Waste Committee has again spent countless hours in investigating the disposal of Solid Waste . . . The Health Officer has been involved in possible solutions to the problem of septage disposal . . . The Recreation Committee developed an interesting program in town during 1984 and the present committee members plan to expand the program in 1985. One of the projects to be investigated is that of establishing a recreational area using funds that were raised by townspeople and earmarked for recreational use several years ago . . . The Library Trustees and Librarian, Celeste Klein, have established a fine tutoring program for Springfield students. With the help of several qualified residents (and some volunteers from other towns also) a goodly number of young people have benefited from the program.

And last but not least we extend our congratulations to those closely associated with Kearsarge Regional High School. We are proud of the honor bestowed on this educational facility, its staff and students by Commissioner Edward Bell of the U.S. Department of Education. A special salute to Springfield's Ed Johnson who serves as Principal of the High School and to Connie Jones who has worked so faithfully in representing Springfield on the Board of Education.

The Year That Is

At the Town Meeting on March 12, 1985, Springfield voters will be asked to take action on several important issues — many concerning day-to-day operations in Town. In particular, funds have been requested which will provide for an expanded schedule of office hours for the Tax Collector, Town Clerk and Selectmen's Office. Also, the Fire Department has requested funds to provide continuance of projects that increase our fire protection — further updating of fire-fighting equipment and the installation of more dry hydrants which provide for year-round access to an adequate water supply. In addition, Highway Department funds are requested to provide for a strong start on a long range plan to improve the roads in town on a scheduled basis. The Police Department has requested funds for a new cruiser to replace the present 1980 vehicle. We urge that the voters become acquainted with the needs expressed by these various requests, and be

prepared to make decisions that will benefit the community as a whole without any undo financial burden.

The Years That Will Be

As we vote for Town Officials and note that in some cases their term of office extends to 1990 we are abruptly reminded of how close we really are to the turn of the century. Many questions are posed each day which have impact on the future of Springfield. At Town Meeting, voters will be asked to act on an article which will clear the way to application for aid in conducting a survey of town facilities and future needs. Also, action is requested on an article that will establish a capital reserve fund for future expansion of library facilities. Furthermore, the Planning board, already cognizant of the rapid passing of time, has begun a timely review and possible updating of the Town Plan.

Springfield's present and future depend as did the past on the continued interest, participation and action of its people. As Selectmen, we wish to express our appreciation to all who have been supportive both in words and action and to our fellow town officials, who are to be complimented on a job well done.

Thank you.

Selectmen,
LOUISE B. JACEWICZ, Chairman
VERNON McINTIRE
ARNOLD PUTNEY

TAX RATE COMPUTATION COMPARISON

Account Budget	1974	1980	1983	1984
Town Budget	\$ 95,154.00	\$119,758.00	\$199,070.00	\$210,919.00
School Budget	101,764.00	212,708.00	346,226.00	350,909.00
County Budget	18,676.00	34,164.00	42,647.00	79,325.00
Veteran Exempt.	2,450.00	2,550.00	3,000.00	3,000.00
Overlay	4,201.00	4,660.00	4,976.00	5,092.00
Totals	\$222,245.00	\$373,840.00	\$595,919.00	\$649,245.00
Less Revenue	72,037.00	53,652.00	98,209.00	136,598.00
Business Profits Tax	-	7,588.00	13,877.00	11,331.00
Property Tax				
Required	150,208.00	312,600.00	483,833.00	501,316.00
Tax Rate	150,208.00	312,600.00	483,833.00	501,316.00
	6,414,196.00	8,494,571.00	26,424,530.00	26,385,000.00
	= \$ 23.80	= \$ 36.80	= \$ 18.31	= \$ 19.00
Assessment Ratio	60%	32%	100%	100%

PROPERTY VALUE COMPARISONS

	1974	1980	1983	1984
Land	\$2,442,114.00	\$3,125,566.00	\$15,940,485.00	\$15,753,938.00
Buildings	3,549,857.00	4,864,650.00	1,339,5100.00	13,808.040.00
Utilities	321,335.00	351,975.00	579,770.00	841,520.00
Mobile Homes	(34)136,790.00	217,380.00	376,430.00	(53)374,280.00
Total	\$6,450,096.00	\$8,549,571.00	\$30,273,785.00	\$30,777,778.00

EXEMPTIONS

Current Use	?	? \$	1,772,105.00	\$ 2,234,008.00
Elderly Exemption	42,700.00	55,000.00	35,000.00	117,780.00
Town, State				
Property etc.	?	?	2,032,150.00	2,040,910.00
Total Valuation	*\$6,414,196.00	\$8,494,571.00	26,424,530.00	26,385,080.00

*Not all figures available for total

BUDGET FOR THE TOWN OF SPRINGFIELD

Appropriations and Estimates of Revenues

for the Ensuing year January 1, 1985 to December 31, 1985

PURPOSES OF APPROPRIATION (RSA 31:4)	Actual Appropriations 1984 (1984-85)	Actual Expenditures 1984 (1984-85)	Selectmen's Budget 1985 (1985-86)	Budget Committee	
				Recommended 1985 (1985-86)	Not Recommended
GENERAL GOVERNMENT					
General Government:					
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 5,300.00	\$ 4,081.25	\$ 5,300.00	\$ 5,300.00	
Town Officers' Expenses	10,000.00	12,161.26	13,000.00	13,000.00	
Election and Registration Exp.	1,800.00	2,010.76	1,000.00	1,000.00	
Cemeteries	200.00	845.13	400.00	400.00	
General Government Bldgs.	11,000.00	10,357.45	11,500.00	11,500.00	
Planning and Zoning	500.00	290.64	500.00	500.00	
Legal Expenses	1,000.00	319.30	3,000.00	3,000.00	
Advertising and Regional Assoc.	450.00	449.00	500.00	500.00	
Contingency Fund	200.00	—0—	200.00	200.00	
Kindergarten	2,400.00	2,045.00	2,500.00	2,500.00	
Property Appraisal & Tax Map Update	400.00	862.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	
Public Safety:					
Police Department	10,500.00	15,191.10	10,200.00	10,200.00	
Fire Department	7,500.00	7,154.41	9,500.00	9,500.00	
Civil Defense	100.00	41.20	100.00	100.00	
Fast Squad	200.00	33.40	250.00	250.00	
Highways, Streets & Bridges:					
Town Maintenance	26,500.00	17,572.43	45,300.00	45,300.00	
Gen. Highway Dept. Exp.	15,000.00	20,164.20	15,000.00	15,000.00	
Town Road Aid	2,143.58	2,143.58	—0—	—0—	
Highway Block Grant	25,000.00	25,000.00	27,100.00	27,100.00	
Street Lighting	1,500.00	1,354.93	1,800.00	1,800.00	

PURPOSES OF APPROPRIATION (RSA 31:4) GENERAL GOVERNMENT	Actual Appropriations 1984 (1984-85)	Actual Expenditures 1984 (1984-85)	Selectmen's Budget 1985 (1985-86)	Budget Committee	
				Recommended 1985 (1985-86)	Not Recommended
Sanitation:					
Solid Waste Disposal Commission		150.00	150.00		
Transfer Station	12,775.00	12,755.00	18,000.00	18,000.00	
Septage Disposal			600.00	600.00	
Health:					
Health Dept.	1,500.00			3,400.00	
Watertest Corp.		205.00	300.00		
Kearsarge Visiting Nurse		1,166.10	1,200.00		
Ambulance		1,000.00	1,200.00		
New London Hospital		628.90	700.00		
Hospitals and Ambulances	1,500.00				
Animal Control	200.00	155.00	200.00		
Vital Statistics	25.00	16.00	25.00		
Welfare:					
General Assistance	2,000.00	152.03	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
Old Age Assistance	2,000.00	—0—	2,000.00		
Culture and Recreation:					
Library	2,500.00	2,049.68	2,700.00	2,700.00	
Parks & Recreation	1,000.00	831.10	1,500.00	1,500.00	
Patriotic Purposes	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00	
Conservation Commission		969.75	500.00	500.00	
Debt Service:					
Principal of Long-Term Bonds & Notes	8,000.00	8,000.00	8,000.00	8,000.00	
Interest Expense-Long-Term Bonds & Notes	3,500.00	3,087.77	2,500.00	2,500.00	
Interest Expense-Tax Anticipation Notes	4,000.00	11,506.93	4,000.00	4,000.00	
Howard Memorial Church (Interest)		22.50			
Capital Outlay:					
Highway Truck (1984)	35,000.00	30,739.12	9,000.00	9,000.00	
Police Cruiser					

PURPOSES OF APPROPRIATION (RSA 31:4) GENERAL GOVERNMENT	Actual Appropriations 1984 (1984-85)	Actual Expenditures 1984 (1984-85)	Selectmen's Budget 1985 (1985-86)	Budget Committee	
				Recommended 1985 (1985-86)	Not Recommended
Operating Transfers Out:					
Payments to					
Capital Reserve Funds:					
Highway	2,000.00	2,000.00	4,000.00	4,000.00	
Library			2,000.00	2,000.00	
Miscellaneous:					
Municipal Water Department (Hydrants)	325.00	322.00	325.00	325.00	
Municipal Sewer Department					
Municipal Electric Department					
FICA, Retirement &					
Pension Contributions	3,000.00	2,685.19	4,000.00	4,000.00	
Insurance	7,000.00	7,652.42	8,000.00	8,000.00	
Unemployment Compensation	<u>2,700.00</u>	<u>3,617.08</u>	<u>4,500.00</u>	<u>4,500.00</u>	
Total Appropriations	\$210,918.58	\$211,838.65	\$225,750.00	\$223,750.00	\$ 2,000.00
Less: Amount of Estimated Revenues, Exclusive of Taxes \$107,600.00					
Amount of Taxes to be Raised (Exclusive of School and County Taxes) \$116,150.00					

SOURCES OF REVENUE

	Estimated Revenues 1984 (1984-85)	Actual Revenues 1984 (1984-85)	Selectmen's Budget 1985 (1985-86)	Estimated Revenues 1985 (1985-86)
Taxes:				
Resident Taxes	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,553.00		\$ 3,200.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	10.00			
Yield Taxes	4,000.00	6,912.76		5,000.00
Interest and Penalties on Taxes	1,000.00	2,021.38		1,000.00
Land Use Change		\$23.88		

	Estimated Revenues 1984 (1984-85)	Actual Revenues 1984 (1984-85)	Selectmen's Budget 1985 (1985-86)	Estimated Revenues 1985 (1985-86)
Intergovernmental Revenues—State:				
Shared Revenue—Block Grant	18,000.00	17,362.88		17,000.00
Highway Block Grant	25,000.00	25,079.47		27,100.00
Other Reimbursements	2,143.58	2,143.58		
Gile Forest	6,000.00	5,722.20		5,700.00
Licenses and Permits:				
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	14,000.00	23,267.25		20,000.00
Dog Licenses	500.00	806.00		600.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees		13.00		
Pistol Permits		40.00		
Miscellaneous Revenues:				
Interest on Deposits	1,000.00	2,225.68		1,000.00
Sale of Town Property	6,000.00	6,684.70		
Other Financing Sources:				
Withdrawal from Capital Reserve (Highway)	11,300.00	11,300.00		
Revenue Sharing Fund	6,000.00	7,500.00		12,000.00
Surplus	20,000.00	20,000.00		15,000.00
Total Revenues and Credits	\$117,953.58	\$135,155.78		\$107,600.00

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1984

Title of Appropriation	Appropriation	Receipts	Total	Expenditures	Unexpended	Overdraft
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 5,300.00		\$ 5,300.00	\$ 4,081.25	\$ 1,218.75	
Town Office Expenses	10,000.00	\$ 165.63	10,165.63	12,161.26		1,995.63
Election & Registration	1,800.00	61.00	1,861.00	2,010.76		149.76
Cemeteries	200.00	631.28	831.28	845.13		13.85
Town Buildings	11,000.00	59.50	11,059.50	10,357.45	702.05	
Planning Board	500.00	212.90	712.90	290.64	422.26	
Legal Expenses	1,000.00		1,000.00	319.30	680.70	
Adv. & Reg. Expenses	450.00		450.00	449.00	1.00	
Contingency Fund	200.00		200.00		200.00	
Kindergarten	2,400.00		2,400.00	2,045.00	355.00	
Property Appraisal	400.00		400.00	862.00		462.00
PUBLIC SAFETY						
Police Department	10,500.00	5,410.25	15,910.25	15,191.10	719.15	
Fire Department	7,500.00	172.31	7,672.31	7,154.41	517.90	
Civil Defense	100.00	100.00	41.20		58.80	
Fast Squad	200.00		200.00	33.40	166.60	
HIGHWAYS, STREETS & BRIDGES						
Town Maintenance	26,500.00		26,500.00	17,572.43	8,927.57	
General Expenses	15,000.00	815.23	15,815.23	20,164.20		4,348.97
Street Lighting	1,500.00		1,500.00	1,354.93	145.07	
Highway Block Grant	12,000.00		25,000.00	25,000.00		
T.R.A. Funds	2,143.58	2,143.58	2,143.58			
SANITATION						
Garbage Removal	12,775.00		12,775.00	12,755.00	20.00	
HEALTH						
Health Department	1,500.00		1,500.00	1,500.00		
Hospital & Ambulance	1,500.00		1,500.00	1,500.00		
Animal Control	200.00		200.00	155.00	45.00	

Title of Appropriation	Appropriation	Receipts	Total	Expenditures	Unexpended	Overdraft
Vital Statistics	25.00		25.00	16.00	9.00	
WELFARE						
General Assistance	2,000.00		2,000.00	152.03	1,847.97	
Old Age Assistance	2,000.00		2,000.00		2,000.00	
CULTURE & RECREATION						
Library	2,500.00	24.48	2,524.48	2,049.68	474.80	
Recreation	1,000.00	10.00	1,010.00	831.10	178.90	
Patriotic Purposes	200.00		200.00	200.00		
Conservation Commission		716.75	1,141.75	969.75	172.00	
DEBT SERVICE						
Principal on Long Term Notes	8,000.00		8,000.00	8,000.00		
Interest on Long Term Notes	3,500.00		3,500.00	3,087.77	412.23	
Interest on Tax Anticipation Notes	4,000.00	10,678.40	14,678.40	11,506.93	3,171.47	
Howard Memorial Church Interest				22.50		22.50
Capital Outlay	35,000.00		35,000.00	30,739.12	4,260.88	
OPERATING TRANSFERS OUT						
Payment to Capital Reserve	2,000.00		2,000.00	2,000.00		
MISCELLANEOUS						
Municipal Water (Hydrants)	325.00		325.00	322.00	3.00	
F.I.C.A. & Retirement	3,000.00		3,000.00	2,685.19	314.81	
Insurance	7,000.00	1,255.00	8,255.00	7,652.46	602.54	
Unemployment Comp.	2,700.00	504.00	3,204.00	3,617.08		413.08
TOTALS	\$210,918.58	\$21,141.73	\$232,060.31	\$211,838.65	\$27,627.45	\$7,405.79
Less Overdraft					-7,405.79	
Net Unexpended Balance					20,221.66	

SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION

Land Under Current Use	\$ 1,121,930.00
Other Land—Improved and Unimproved	\$10,524,990.00
Buildings	13,640,140.00
Water Utility	150,480.00
Public Utility - Electric	691,040.00
House Trailers, Mobile Homes (53)	<u>374,280.00</u>
TOTAL VALUATION BEFORE EXEMPTIONS	\$26,502,860.00
Elderly Exemptions (11)	<u>117,780.00</u>
NET VALUATION FOR TAX RATE COMPUTATION	\$26,385,080.00

INVENTORIES		ELDERLY EXEMPTIONS	
Distributed in 1984	750	Number applied for	12
Returned in 1984	722	Number granted	11

CURRENT USE

Number of property owners granted	16
Current Use Exemption in 1984	1,790
Total number of acres exempted	9,273

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Description	Value
Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$120,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	20,000.00
Libraries, Lands and Buildings	30,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	5,000.00
Police Department, Equipment	6,500.00
Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	35,000.00
Equipment	60,000.00
Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	26,000.00
Equipment	55,000.00
Materials and Supplies	5,000.00
Parks, Commons and Playgrounds	10,000.00
All Lands and Buildings acquired through Tax Collector's deeds:	
Putnam-Roos Lot	25,540.00
Town Office Building, Equipment	85,000.00
Town Forests and Lots	<u>258,920.00</u>
TOTAL	\$741,960.00

SPRINGFIELD TOWN FOREST

50 Acres Brooks Lot	\$14,850.00	
74 Acres Clay Webster Page	15,000.00	
1 Acre Collins Park	2,240.00	
1 Acre Eastman	14,670.00	
200 Acres Edwards, Goodhue, Little and McDaniels	47,620.00	
50 Acres Fogg Land	13,030.00	
85 Acres Kinsley Land	16,000.00	
1 Acre Kolelemook Lots	20,510.00	
20 Acres McDaniel Barton	10,000.00	
35 Acres McDonald Knapp	17,270.00	
10 Acres Messer Lot	7,000.00	
20 Acres Nixon Land	10,000.00	
40 Acres Royal Arch		
50 Acres Society Lot	44,210.00	
70 Acres Sunapee Heights	26,520.00	
Total		\$258,920.00

FINANCIAL REPORT

For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1984

ASSETS

Cash:

All funds in custody of treasurer	\$149,155.75	
Cemetery Commission	407.76	
TOTAL CASH		\$149,563.51
Capital Reserve Funds:		
Highway Equip.	3,022.80	
Library Fund (Geo. & B.J. Green)	1,500.00	
Total Capital Reserve Funds		\$ 4,522.80
Unredeemed Taxes:		
Levy of 1983	25,182.95	
Levy of 1982	13,398.70	
Levy of 1981	4,116.82	
Total Unredeemed Taxes		\$ 42,698.47
Uncollected Taxes:		
Levy of 1984	83,978.12	
Levy of 1983	8,997.80	
Levy of 1982	567.20	
Total Uncollected Taxes		\$ 93,543.12
Total Assets		\$290,327.90
Grand Total		\$290,327.90
Fund Balance December 31, 1983	68,937.75	
Fund Balance December 31, 1984	89,030.75	
Change in Financial Condition	20,093.00	

LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town:		
Unexpended Revenue Sharing Fund	100.00	
School District(s) Tax(es) Payable	196,674.35	
Total Accounts Owed by the Town		\$196,774.35
Capital Reserve Funds:		
Total Capital Reserve Funds		\$ 4,522.80
Total Liabilities		\$201,297.15
Fund Balance—Current Surplus		\$ 89,030.75
Grand Total		\$290,327.90

RECEIPTS

FROM LOCAL TAXES:

Property Taxes—Current Year—1984	\$424,384.04	
Resident Taxes—Current Year—1984	2,520.00	
Yield Taxes—Current Year—1984	6,912.76	
Property Taxes and Yield Taxes—Previous Years	65,520.78	
Resident Taxes-Previous Years	290.00	
Land Use Change Tax—Current and Prior Years	485.00	
Interest received on Delinquent Taxes	2,835.86	
Penalties: Resident Taxes	33.00	
Tax sales redeemed	24,213.67	
Total Taxes Collected and Remitted		\$527,195.11

INTERGOVERNMENTAL REVENUES:

Shared Revenue	17,362.88
Highway Block Grant	25,079.47
Reimb. a/c State-Federal Forest Land	5,722.20
T.R.A. Aid	2,143.58
State Share Forest Fire Training	25.96

Total Intergovernmental Revenues \$ 50,334.09

LICENSES AND PERMITS:

Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	23,267.25
Dog Licenses	806.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	13.00
Dwelling Permits	12.00
Pistol Permits	40.00

Total Licenses and Permits \$ 24,138.25

CHARGES FOR SERVICES:

Income From Departments	1,560.93
Rent of Town Property (Heat Cost from Church)	59.50
Use of Copy Machine	40.88

Total Charge For Services \$ 1,661.31

MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES:

Interest on Deposits	12,904.08
Sale of Town Property	284.70
Check Reissue and Charge	435.00
Insurance Claim	5,410.25
Refunds and Return Premium	2,138.09
Current Use Fees	78.00
Other Miscellaneous Revenues	712.72

Total Miscellaneous Revenues \$ 21,962.84

OTHER FINANCING SOURCES:

Withdrawal from Capital Reserve	11,300.00
Revenue Sharing Entitlement Funds	7,843.00
Interest on Investments of Revenue Sharing Funds	111.46

Total Other Financing Sources \$ 19,254.46

NON-REVENUE RECEIPTS:

Proceeds of Tax Anticipation Notes	250,000.00
Yield Tax Security Deposits	2,926.50
Taxes Bought by Town	24,252.86

Total Non-Revenue Receipts \$277,179.36

Total Receipts from All Sources \$921,725.42

Cash on hand January 1, 1984 \$137,420.62

Grand Total \$1,059,146.04

PAYMENTS**GENERAL GOVERNMENT:**

Town officers' salaries	\$ 4,081.25
Town officers' expenses	12,161.26
Election and Registration expenses	2,010.76
General Government Buildings	10,357.45
Reappraisal of Property	862.00

Planning and Zoning	290.64	
Legal Expenses	319.30	
Advertising and Regional Association	449.00	
Other General Governmental Expenses—Cemeteries	845.13	
—Kindergarten	<u>2,045.00</u>	
Total General Governmental Expenses		\$ 33,421.79
PUBLIC SAFETY:		
Police Department	15,191.10	
Fire Department	7,154.41	
Fast Squad	33.40	
Civil Defense	<u>41.20</u>	
Total Public Safety Expenses		\$ 22,420.11
HIGHWAYS, STREETS, BRIDGES:		
Town Maintenance	17,572.43	
General Highway Department Expenses	20,164.20	
Street Lighting	1,354.93	
Highway Block Grant	25,000.00	
T.R.A. Funds	<u>2,143.58</u>	
Total Highways and Bridges Expenses		\$ 66,235.14
SANITATION:		
Garbage Removal	<u>12,755.00</u>	
Total Sanitation Expenses		\$ 12,755.00
HEALTH:		
Health Department	1,500.00	
Hospitals and Amublances	1,500.00	
Animal Control	155.00	
Vital Statistics	<u>16.00</u>	
Total Health Expenses		\$ 3,171.00
WELFARE:		
General Assistance	<u>152.03</u>	
Total Welfare Expenses		\$ 152.03
CULTURE AND RECREATION:		
Library	2,049.68	
Parks & Recreation	831.10	
Patriotic Purposes	200.00	
Conservation Commission	<u>969.75</u>	
Total Culture and Recreational Expenses		\$ 4,050.53
DEBT SERVICE:		
Principal of Long-Term Bond & Notes	8,000.00	
Interest Expense—Long-Term Bonds & Notes	3,087.77	
Interest Expense—Tax Anticipation Notes	11,506.93	
Interest Expense—Other Temporary Loans	<u>22.50</u>	
Total Debt Service Payments		\$ 22,617.20
CAPITAL OUTLAY:		
Highway Truck	<u>30,739.12</u>	
Total Capital Outlay		\$ 30,739.12

OPERATING TRANSFERS OUT:

Payments to Capital Reserve Funds (Highway)	<u>2,000</u>	
Total Operating Transfers Out		\$ 2,000.00
MISCELLANEOUS:		
Municipal Water Department (Hydrants)	322.00	
FICA, Retirement & Pension Contributions	2,685.19	
Insurance	7,652.46	
Unemployment Compensation	<u>3,617.05</u>	

Total Miscellaneous Expenses \$ 14,276.73

UNCLASSIFIED:

Payments on Tax Anticipation Notes	250,000.00	
Taxes bought by town	24,252.86	
Discounts, Abatements and Refunds	<u>5,687.59</u>	

Total Unclassified Expenses \$279,940.45

PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS:

Taxes paid to County	79,325.00	
Payments to Precincts	9,035.00	
Payments to School Districts	<u>346,815.21</u>	

Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions \$435,175.21

Total Payments for all Purposes \$926,954.31

Cash on hand December 31, 1984 132,191.73

Grand Total \$1,059,146.04

SCHEDULE OF LONG TERM INDEBTEDNESS

As of December 31, 1984

Long-Term Notes Outstanding:

New London Trust, 5 years + 10.25,		
Fire Truck (Originated 1982)	\$24,000.00	
Total Long-Term Notes Outstanding		24,000.00
Total Long-Term indebtedness—		
December 31, 1984		\$24,000.00

RECONCILIATION OF OUTSTANDING LONG-TERM INDEBTEDNESS

Outstanding Long-Term Debt—		
December 31, 1984		\$32,000.00
Total		32,000.00
Debt Retirement During Fiscal Year:		
Long-Term Notes Issued—3rd Payment	8,000.00	
Outstanding Long-Term Debt—		
December 31, 1984		\$24,000.00

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1984

— DR. —

	—Levies Of:—		
	1984	1983	Prior
Uncollected Taxes-			
Beginning of Fiscal Year:			
Property Taxes		\$88,130.73	
Resident Taxes		340.00	\$390.00
Land Use Change Taxes		8,797.00	
Yield Taxes		150.80	177.20
Taxes Committed to Collector:			
Property Taxes	\$506,211.22		
Resident Taxes	3,850.00		
National Bank Stock Taxes			
Land Use Change Taxes	485.00		
Yield Taxes	7,718.74		
Added Taxes:			
Property Taxes	14.96	50.00	
Overpayments:			
a/c Property Taxes		3,845.99	
a/c Resident Taxes			
Interest Collected on			
Delinquent Property Taxes:	774.82	2,061.04	
Penalties Collected on			
Resident Taxes:	4.00	29.00	
TOTAL DEBITS	<u>\$519,058.74</u>	<u>\$103,404.56</u>	<u>\$567.20</u>

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Remittances to Treasurer			
During Fiscal Year:			
Property Taxes	\$424,384.04	\$91,607.74	
Resident Taxes	2,520.00	290.00	
Yield Taxes	6,912.76		
Land Use Change Taxes	485.00		
Interest Collected During Year	774.82	2,061.04	
Penalties on Resident Taxes	4.00	29.00	
Discounts Allowed:			
Abatements Made During Year:			
Property Taxes		418.98	
Uncollected Taxes-End of			
Fiscal Year:			
(As Per Collector's List)			
Property Taxes	81,842.14		
Resident Taxes	1,330.00	50.00	390.00
National Bank Stock Taxes			
Yield Tax	805.98	150.80	177.20
Land Use Change		8,797.00	
TOTAL CREDITS	<u>\$519,058.74</u>	<u>\$103,404.56</u>	<u>\$567.20</u>

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1984

— DR. —

—Tax Sales on Account of Levies Of—

	1984	1985	1982	Previous Years
Balance of Unredeemed Taxes- Beginning Fiscal Year*			\$12,032.91	\$3,537.72
Taxes Sold to Town During Current Fiscal Year**		\$24,252.86		
Interest Collected After Sale		226.14	1,365.79	579.10
Redemption Costs		703.95		
TOTAL DEBITS		<u>\$25,182.95</u>	<u>\$13,398.70</u>	<u>\$4,116.82</u>

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Remittances to Treasurer During Year:

Redemptions	\$ 9,766.26	\$9,183.91	\$1,258.37
Interest & Costs After Sale	226.14	1,365.79	579.10
Abatements During Year			
Deeded to Town During Year	530.89	399.14	282.20
Unredeemed Taxes- End of Fiscal Year	14,659.66	2,449.86	1,997.15
Unremitted Cash			
TOTAL CREDITS	<u>\$25,182.95</u>	<u>\$13,398.70</u>	<u>\$4,116.82</u>

* These sums represent the total of Unredeemed Taxes, as of January 1, 1984 from Tax Sales held in *Previous* Fiscal Years.

** Amount of Tax Sale(s) held during current fiscal year, including total amount of taxes, interest and costs to date of sale(s).

TREASURER'S REPORT

From January 1, 1984 — December 31, 1984

Received from Tax Collector

1980 Tax Sales Redeemed

Kathleen Conti	\$ 38.32	
Donald Shattuck	<u>776.29</u>	\$ 814.61

1981 Tax Sales Redeemed

Minnie Dyke	\$ 212.46	
Dennis Hoisington	450.34	
Donald Shattuck	<u>360.06</u>	\$ 1,022.86

1982 Tax Sales Redeemed

Peter Abair	\$ 254.94	
Pearl Alexander	3,442.60	
John Carlson, Jr.	519.83	
Barbara Chamberland	395.60	
David Chamberland	38.28	
Kathleen Conti	255.76	
Minnie Dyke	605.00	
Craig Fenech	91.54	
Dennis George	270.00	
Marilyn Gobin	3.56	
Christopher Hatch	403.17	
Dennis Hoisington	603.73	
Mumblety Peg (Levesque)	86.48	
Howard Nichols	50.00	
John Nyhan	1,238.87	
David Patten	50.00	
James Provencal	295.97	
Ralph Riccio	268.99	
Richard Sawtelle	120.12	
Donald Shattuck	531.47	
Eugene Vaughn	400.00	
Harold Wheeler	269.74	
Andre Willey	<u>354.05</u>	\$ 10,549.70

1983 Taxes Redeemed

Peter Abair	\$ 245.06	
Denette Adams	663.16	
Atkinson-Davis	43.73	
Sally Allen	663.84	
Kathleen Conti	251.33	
Robert Cross	34.27	
Dartmouth College	609.73	
Noel Eastman, Jr.	96.54	
Alan Estey	323.09	
Craig Fenech	98.79	
Robert Glasscock	262.37	
James Hathaway	200.00	
Arthur Heath	1,161.75	
Hewitt Estate	5,177.78	
Bruce Jasper	544.77	
Howard Nichols	108.68	
Robert Parker	235.35	
Ralph Riccio	293.04	
Donald Shattuck	357.01	
Rodney L. Whipple	140.40	
Bruce Wirtz	<u>315.81</u>	
		\$ 11,826.50

1983 Assessments

Property Tax	\$ 65,520.78	
Property Tax Interest	2,061.04	
Resident Tax	290.00	
Resident Tax Penalties	29.00	
Property Taxes bought by the Town	<u>24,252.86</u>	
		\$ 92,153.68

1984 Assessments

Property Tax	\$424,384.04	
Property Tax Interest	774.82	
Resident Tax	2,520.00	
Resident Tax Penalties	4.00	
Yield Tax	6,912.76	
Land Use Charge	<u>485.00</u>	
		\$435,080.62

Received from Town Clerk

1984 Automobile Permits	\$ 23,267.25	
1984 Dog Licenses	735.00	
1984 Dog License Fines	71.00	
Filing Fees (11)	<u>13.00</u>	
		\$ 24,086.25

Security Deposits on Timber

Kenneth Bennett, Sr.	\$ 50.00	
Controlled Forest Management	375.00	
F. C. Hammond & Son	675.00	
Stanley Miller Real Estate	231.50	
Ivan Simoneau	1,045.00	
Simoneau Logging	<u>550.00</u>	
		\$ 2,926.50

Received from Planning Board

Reney Land Corp., subdivision	\$ 10.85	
David & Barbara Reney, subdivision	62.55	
Campbell, subdivision	2.50	
Robinson, subdivision	36.70	
Chiarella, subdivision	41.70	
Rudner/Butcher, annexation	25.85	
Anderson, annexation	22.75	
Purchases of regulations	<u>10.00</u>	
		\$ 212.90

Received from Selectmen

Dwelling Permits	\$ 12.00	
Current Use Applications	78.00	
Sale of Assessment Cards	5.00	
Pistol Permits, 10 % \$4.00	40.00	
Sale of Town equipment & books at flea market	<u>84.70</u>	
		\$ 219.70

Miscellaneous Receipts

Loren Patten, culvert	\$ 636.72	
Sale of Checklists	61.00	
Springfield Cemetery Comm., for disbursement	631.28	
Springfield Conservation Comm., for disbursement	716.75	
Springfield Civil Def., sale of Jeep	200.00	

Springfield Historical Soc., use of copier	40.88	
Recreation Committee, proceeds from sale	10.00	
Capital Reserve Fund, highway equipment	11,30.00	
Howard Memorial Church, heat	59.50	
Lost Town check, reissued	425.00	
Alan Thompson Agency, return premiums	1,255.00	
Alan Thompson Agency, policy cancellation	504.00	
Johnson & Dix Fuel Corp., refund, fire dept.	146.35	
Dartmouth Bookstore, credit refund	24.48	
Equity Publishing Co., refund	9.75	
E. W. Sleeper Co., refund	98.84	
R. N. Johnson Inc., refund	79.67	
DaTown, refund	20.00	
Peerless Ins. Co., insurance claim	4,070.25	
Peerless Ins. Co., accident related expenses	1,340.00	
Bad check charges	10.00	
NLT, tax anticipation note #14970, 7 %	250,000.00	
New London Trust, int. on CD #4008546	2,765.48	
NLT, int. on MMI acct., minus \$9.00 SC	7,912.92	
New London Trust, interest on Savings	1,157.89	
New London Trust, interest on Checking	<u>1,067.79</u>	
		\$284,543.55

Received from the State of New Hampshire

State & Federal Forest Lands,		
1983 reimbursement	\$ 5,722.20	
Highway Subsidy	25,079.47	
TRA (Town Road Aid)	2,143.58	
State Share of Forest Fire Bill, training	25.96	
State Revenue Sharing	<u>17,362.88</u>	
		\$ 50,334.09

Received from U.S. Treasury

Revenue Sharing Entitlements	\$ 7,843.00	
LSSB, interest on Revenue Sharing	<u>111.46</u>	
		\$ 7,954.46

TOTAL RECEIPTS RECEIVED IN 1984 \$921,725.42

Cash in Bank, January 1, 1984		\$137,420.62
Receipts for the year	\$921,725.42	
Less payments per Selectmen	<u>926,954.31</u>	
Decrease in Cash in Bank		<u>5.228.89</u>

New London Trust, Checking Account	\$ 1,295.28	
New London Trust, MMI Account	130,796.45	
Lake Sunapee Savings, Revenue Sharing	<u>100.00</u>	
Cash in Bank, December 31, 1984		<u><u>\$132,191.73</u></u>

AMELIA W. ANDERSON
Town Treasurer

SPECIAL FUNDS

Name of Fund	Balance	Interest	Income	Expended	Balance
				12/31/84	12/31/83
C.B. Robinson	\$ 650.53	\$ 36.50	\$	\$ 46.67	\$ 640.36
Royal Arch	*9,808.67	868.54			10,677.21
Cemetery Improvement	1,271.68	157.68	100.00		1,529.36
Conservation Commission	<u>5,786.07</u>	<u>443.05</u>		<u>716.75</u>	<u>5,512.37</u>
TOTALS	\$17,516.95	\$ 1,505.77	\$ 100.00	\$ 763.42	\$18,359.30

*\$15.31 not reported in 1983

Those of the above funds that can be are invested in 2½ year certificates at interest rates of 9.50% to 11%.

AMELIA W. ANDERSON
Town Treasurer

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1984

1984 Automobile Permits issued (687)		\$23,267.25
1983 Dog Licenses Issued in 1984		
1 @ \$ 6.00	\$ 6.00	
2 @ 3.50	<u>7.00</u>	
		13.00
1983 Dog Licenses Penalties in 1984		
2 @ 7.00	<u>14.00</u>	
		14.00
1984 Dog Licenses		
25 @ 2.00	50.00	
2 @ 3.00	6.00	
76 @ 3.50	266.00	
39 @ 6.00	234.00	
10 @ 6.50	65.00	
3 @ 12.00	36.00	
2 @ 20.00	40.00	
1 @ 25.00	<u>25.00</u>	
		722.00
1984 Dog License Penalties		
2 @ 1.00	2.00	
20 @ 2.00	40.00	
5 @ 3.00	15.00	
	<u></u>	
		57.00
Filing Fees for Constitutional Convention		
2 @ 4.00	<u>4.00</u>	
Filing Fees for Town Meeting		
9 @ 1.00	<u>9.00</u>	
		<u>13.00</u>
TOTAL RECEIPTS		\$24,086.25
Paid Treasurer for Automobile Permits	23,267.25	
Paid Treasurer for Dog Licenses	735.00	
Paid Treasurer for Dog License Penalties	71.00	
Paid Treasurer for Filing Fees	<u>13.00</u>	
TOTAL PAID TO TREASURER		\$24,086.25

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

DETAIL 1

Town Officers' Salaries

Louise B. Jacewicz, Selectman	\$ 750.00	
Arnold Putney, Selectman	750.00	
Vernon McIntire, Selectman	750.00	
Cynthia Anderson, Tax Collector	543.75	
George Green, Auditor	200.00	
Russell LeBrecht, Police Officer	75.00	
Byron Charles, Fire Chief	75.00	
Amelia Anderson, Treasurer	487.50	
Cynthia Anderson, Town Clerk	168.75	
Robert E. Moore, Deputy Tax Collector	112.50	
Robert E. Moore, Deputy Town Clerk	75.00	
Barbara Reney, Trustee of Trust Fund	<u>93.75</u>	
		\$4,081.25

Above salaries are for period March 13, 1984, to December 31, 1984, only.

DETAIL 2.

Town Officers' Expenses

Patricia Avery, Clerical Duties	\$ 22.50	
Robert E. Moore, Wages	3,119.00	
Robert E. Moore, Expenses	190.90	
Barbara Reney, Postal Expenses	184.00	
Amelia Anderson, Expenses	151.44	
U.S. Envelope Agency	550.25	
Department of Revenue Administration	37.00	
Louise B. Jacewicz, Expenses	107.10	
C & S, Inc. Typewriter Repair	67.39	
N.E. Assn. of Town Clerks, Dues	10.00	
Registry of Deeds, Sullivan County, Admin. Cost	113.10	
Cynthia Anderson, Cost of Tax Sale	1,006.35	
Cynthia Anderson, Tax Sale Notices	95.20	
Cynthia Anderson, Wages	941.50	
Cynthia Anderson, Expenses	680.49	
Country Press, Xerox copies	110.00	
Country Press, Annual Town Report Printing	1,349.80	
Clark's Servistar Home Center, Supplies	1.60	
Twin State Typewriter, Supplies	599.94	
Ver-Com, Inc., Copy Machine, Supplies & Repairs	867.08	
Brown and Saltmarsh, Supplies	640.07	
N.H. Tax Collectors' Assn., Dues	15.00	
Datown, Inc., Processing	885.68	
N.H. Municipal Secretary's Assn., Dues	10.00	
Branham Publishing Co., Vehicle Catalogs	42.35	
N.H. Municipal Assn., Fees	21.00	
Equity Publishing Co.	9.75	
Treasurer, State of N.H., Dog Licenses	93.50	
Colonial Pharmacy, Supplies	62.95	
Arnold Putney, Expenses	66.50	

Registry of Probate, Sullivan County, Fees	1.00	
Wheeler & Clark, Dog Tags	21.44	
Homestead Press, Printing	26.19	
Internal Revenue Service, Penalties	61.19	
	<hr/>	\$12,161.26

DETAIL 3.

Election & Registration

Dee's 9 to 5, Checklists	\$173.31	
Argus-Champion, Advertising	201.44	
Fred Davis, Ballot Clerk	120.00	
Jill Barton, Ballot Clerk	60.00	
Warren White, Ballot Clerk	120.00	
Nancy Putney, Ballot Clerk	120.00	
Albert Jones, Moderator	135.00	
Howard Memorial Church, Food	244.25	
Erma A. Cole, Expenses	34.54	
Erma A. Cole, Wages	309.39	
Florence Butcher, Wages	309.39	
Grace Patten, Wages	84.39	
Constance Jones, Ballot Clerk	25.00	
Brown and Saltmarsh, Supplies	4.05	
Daniel E. Daly, Ballot Clerk	35.00	
George Thomson, Moderator	35.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,010.76

DETAIL 4.

Cemeteries

Russell LeBrecht Sr., Wages	229.50	
Russell LeBrecht, Jr., Wages	225.00	
Phillip LeBrecht, Wages	216.63	
Russell LeBrecht, Sr., Expenses	104.00	
Bristol and Sweet, Tax Map	35.00	
Thomas Anderson, Wages	35.00	
		\$845.13

DETAIL 5.

Town Hall and Other Town Buildings

Elba Jillson, Wages	\$3,124.36
Elba Jillson, Mileage and Supplies	579.02
Lucy Jillson, Wages	255.27
Darren Patten, Wages	30.00
Public Service Co.	834.66
New England Telephone	462.79
Kidder Oil Service	2,129.98
Mac Charles, Plumbing	40.00
Henry Cunningham, Locating Septic Tank	10.00
Corlis and Abblott, Pumping Septic Tank	110.00

New London Fuel, Cleaning Furnaces	187.33	
Valley Signs	200.00	
Donald Gambino, Carpentry Work	788.70	
Sidney Hastings, Painting	612.79	
Clark's Servistar Home Center	25.28	
LaValley Building Supplies, Paint	237.21	
American Legion, Flag	22.32	
Country Store, Supplies	63.19	
Cote and Reney Lumber Co., Clapboards and Lumber	<u>644.54</u>	
		\$10,357.45

DETAIL 6.

Planning Board

Barbara Reney, Postal Fees	\$ 137.65	
Country Press, Stationery	53.00	
Janet Booker, Expenses	14.29	
Upper Valley-Lake Sunapee Council, Booklets	77.50	
Registry of Deeds, Sullivan County	<u>8.20</u>	
		\$ 290.64

DETAIL 7.

Legal Expenses

Argus-Champion, Advertising	24.30	
Feeney and Kraeger, Lawyers	<u>295.00</u>	
		\$ 319.30

DETAIL 8.

Regional Associations

Upper Valley-Lake Sunapee Council	\$ 449.00
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DETAIL 9.

Kindergarten

Grantham School District	\$2,045.00
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DETAIL 10.

Property Appraisal & Tax Map Update

Bristol & Sweet Associates, Inc.	\$662.00	
William Garrity, Appraisals	<u>200.00</u>	
		\$862.00

DETAIL 11.

Police Department

S & J Auto Parts, Inc.	\$ 15.20
Granite State Business Forms	34.22
Wilson Tire Co.	83.84
New England Telephone	321.00
A A Auto Parts, Inc.	156.80
Morey's Uniforms	44.50
Russell LeBrecht, Sr., Payroll	5,026.50
Russell LeBrecht, Sr., Expenses	198.03
Paul & Sons, Subaru	34.70
Equity Publishing Corp., Printing	30.25
Village Service Center	3,393.40
Barbara Reney, Postal Expenses	5.00
W. S. Darley & Co., Decals Etc.	138.52
Russell LeBrecht, Jr., Wages	70.00
Harold Wheeler, Wages	61.75
T.A.B. Police Distributors	348.47
Country Store, Springfield, Supplies	173.46
Communications Systems Center	364.21
Motorola Communications & Electronics, Radio	1,460.25
Town of Newport, N.H., Dispatch Service	1,131.00
Classic Auto Body, Repairs to Subaru	<u>2,100.00</u>
	\$15,191.10

DETAIL 12.

Fire Department

Kidder Oil Service	\$ 847.95
Agway Petroleum	300.00
New England Telephone	288.45
New England Telephone	524.28
Fire Chief Magazine	21.00
Town of Hanover, Fire Dispatch	452.20
Communications System Center	28.09
James Yager, Repairs	270.00
B-B Chain Co.	148.00
Sidney Hastings, Repairs	96.45
R & L Auto Parts, Inc.	57.45
Middlesex Fire Equipment Co.	2,686.28
Barbara Reney, Postal Fees	5.00
Harry Cole, Wages	16.50
William Anderson, Fire Warden	28.84
Matthew Waddell, Fire Warden	23.08
Cynthia Anderson, Expenses & Postage	17.85
Cote and Reney Lumber Co., Inc.	323.58
Merriam-Graves	69.15
Oxygen & Welding Supply Co., Inc.	24.52
Don Crate Trucking, Sand and Gravel	122.50
Village Service Center	6.50
Datown, Labels	44.87

A A Auto Parts, Inc.	43.00	
S & J Auto Parts, Inc.	39.06	
Country Store, Supplies	12.15	
LaValley Building Supply, Inc.	27.66	
John Junta, Jr., Backhoe for Hydrants	<u>630.00</u>	
		\$7,154.41

DETAIL 13.

Civil Defense

Frank Anderson, Expenses		\$ 41.20
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DETAIL 14.

Fast Squad

Dorothy Anderson, Reimbursement	\$25.40	
William Anderson	5.00	
Frank Anderson, Expenses	<u>3.00</u>	
		\$33.40

DETAIL 15.

Town Maintenance

Summer

United Construction Corp.	\$ 288.00	
Asplundh, Inc., Cutting	2,210.73	
Don Crate Trucking, Sand/Gravel	4,658.50	
George A. Cote, Jr., Wages	4,400.21	
Harry Cole, Wages	2,871.50	
Blaktop, Inc.	3,628.80	
Northeastern Culvert, Inc.	1,402.36	
John H. Brown, Mowing	480.00	
Eldon J. Owens, Mowing	960.00	
Newport Sand and Gravel, Inc.	217.25	
Arnold Putney, Grader Work	57.00	
Blue Cross, Blue Shield, Town Share (Cote)	146.88	
George A. Cote, Jr., Expenses	572.50	
Harry Cole, Expenses	13.50	
Cote and Reney Lumber Co., Inc., Gravel	<u>491.00</u>	
Total Summer Maintenance		\$22,398.23

Winter Maintenance

George A. Cote, Jr., Wages	\$ 5,176.62
George A. Cote, Jr., Expenses	184.00
Harry Cole, Wages	2,996.25
Treasurer, State of N.H., Bridge Payment Bal.	1,527.92
Arnold Putney, Welding & Grading	322.50
Newport Sand and Gravel, Inc.	4,495.30
United Construction Corp., Sand	405.00

Blue Cross/Blue Shield, Town Share (Cote)	194.56	
Town Share (Patten)	111.08	
Elba Jillson, Expenses	1.25	
Erma Cole, Expenses	3.75	
David Patten, Wages	1,787.50	
Thomas Patten, Wages	3,091.88	
Grace Patten, Expenses	9.63	
Thomas Patten, Expenses	337.08	
David Patten, Expenses	3.00	
Russell Jewell, Backhoe	600.00	
Country Store, Springfield, Supplies	1.39	
International Salt Co.	600.30	
Blaktop, Inc.	292.60	
Cote & Reney Lumber Co., Inc., Sand & Gravel	143.25	
Newport Rentals, Inc.	7.42	
Harry Cole, Expenses	25.50	
Total Winter Maintenance		22,317.78
Total Maintenance for Year		\$44,716.01
Highway Block Grant	\$25,000.00	
T.R.A. Funds	2,143.58	
*Total	\$27,143.58	

**Applied to Town Maintenance

DETAIL 16.

General Expense of Highways

Jordan Milton Machinery Corporation	\$ 2,150.22
Public Service Co.	322.55
New England Telephone	320.19
S. & J. Auto Parts, Inc.	2,006.47
Kidder Oil Service, Fuel & Furnace	4,355.39
Chadwick-Baross	798.16
LaValley Building Supply Co.	65.05
National Fence Co.	168.75
K-Ross Building Supply Center	109.67
Interstate Tire Co.	2,181.69
Wilson Tire Co.	24.00
Webster Motors, Inc.	50.17
Upper Valley Glass	64.00
Barney Bass & Co. Inc.	91.80
Arthur Whitcomb Co.	313.10
Ron Hadley	32.50
Ed's Equipment Service Parts, Inc.	838.92
New London Fuel	8.00
Pambro Sales	470.84
E. W. Sleeper	128.46
Atlantic Plow Blade Co.	340.40
Atantic Highway Sign Co.	516.72
A A Auto Parts, Inc.	150.60
Argus-Champion, Advertising	21.25
Merrium Graves, Welding Equipment	876.85

Max Cohen and Sons, Inc.	140.00	
R. & L. Auto Parts	37.67	
Kirby Equipment, Inc.	26.39	
New London Auto Parts, Inc.	6.43	
Cote and Reney Lumber Co., Inc.	127.05	
B.B. Chain Co.	464.00	
Agway Petroleum, Fuel	1,496.14	
B. & L. Service	476.40	
Kearsarge Shopper, Advertising	46.50	
R. N. Johnson	79.67	
Northeastern Culvert	<u>636.72</u>	
		\$20,164.20

DETAIL 17.

Street Lighting

Public Service Co.	\$1,354.93
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DETAIL 18.

Garbage Removal

Town of Sunapee, Transfer Station	\$12,755.00
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DETAIL 19.

Health, Hospitals, Ambulance, Nursing Care

Kearsarge Visiting Nurse	\$1,166.10	
New London Hospital	628.90	
New London Hospital, Ambulance	1,000.00	
Watertest Corp.	<u>205.00</u>	
		\$3,000.00

DETAIL 20.

Animal Control

Fox Run Kennel	\$ 90.00	
Wendell Veterinary Clinic	<u>65.00</u>	
		\$155.00

DETAIL 21.

Vital Statistics

Cynthia Anderson	\$ 16.00
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DETAIL 22.

General Assistance

Cricenti's Market	\$ 19.87	
Sullivan County Commissioners	<u>132.16</u>	
		\$152.03

DETAIL 23.

Old Age Assistance

No expenditures.

DETAIL 24.

Library

Public Service Co.	\$106.53	
New England Telephone	217.53	
Corbett Oil Co.	290.09	
Cobblestone Magazine	17.50	
Brodart Books Co.	640.13	
Dartmouth Bookstore	192.42	
Baker & Taylor, Co., Books	240.41	
Listening Library, Inc.	93.82	
Celeste Klein, Librarian, Wages	<u>251.25</u>	
		\$2,049.68

DETAIL 25.

Recreation Department

Clarke's Servistar Center	\$192.60	
McKenzie Rental, Portable Toilet	215.00	
Mac Charles, Plumbing	50.00	
Jayne Fletcher, Wages	191.25	
Ginger Streeter, Wages	<u>182.25</u>	
		\$831.10

DETAIL 26.

Patriotic Purposes

American Legion Post #40, Services Memorial Day	\$200.00
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DETAIL 27.

Conservation Committee

Janet Booker, Expenses	\$ 59.75	
Barbara Reney, Postal Fees	20.00	
N.H. Assn. for Conservation Commissions	40.00	
Bernard Manning, Reimbursement	425.00	
Bernard Manning, Loss of Check Above	<u>425.00</u>	
		\$969.75

DETAIL 28.

Bonds, Term Notes, Capital Reserve

New London Trust Co. (1984 Payment Fire Truck Loan)	\$ 8,000.00	
Barbara Roney, Trustee of Trust Fund	<u>2,000.00</u>	\$10,000.00

DETAIL 29.

Interest

New London Trust Co., Tax Anticipation Loan Interest	\$11,506.93	
New London Trust Co., Interest Fire Truck Loan	3,087.77	
Howard Memorial Church, Interest	<u>22.50</u>	\$14,617.20

DETAIL 30.

Capital Outlay

M & M Equipment Co., Body	10,397.12	
John Grappone, Inc., Adjustment	600.00	
John Grappone, Inc., Truck	<u>19,742.00</u>	\$30,739.12

DETAIL 31.

Hydrants

New London Water Precinct, Hydrants	\$322.00
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DETAIL 33.

Insurance

A. B. Gile, Inc., Insurance, Public Officials' Liability Policy	\$ 473.00
A. B. Gile, Inc., Insurance, N.H. Surplus Lines Tax	9.46
A. B. Gile, Inc., Insurance, Package Policy Police Professional Liability Policy	500.00
A. B. Gile, Inc., Insurance, Public Officials' Bonding — Treasurer, Tax Collector, Town Clerk, Deputy Town Clerk, Trustees of Trust Fund	247.00
A. B. Gile, Inc., Insurance, Commercial Umbrella Liability Policy	500.00
A. B. Gile, Inc., Insurance, Bonding, Deputy Tax Collector	82.00

A. B. Gile, Inc., Insurance, Commercial Auto Policy add 1984 Truck & Plow	174.00	
		\$ 7,652.46

DETAIL 34.

Unemployment Compensation

State of N.H. Unemployment Security	\$ 847.08	
N.H. Compensation Trust Fund	2,770.00	
		\$3,617.08

DETAIL 35.

Taxes Bought By Town

Cynthia Anderson, Tax Collector	\$24,252.86
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DETAIL 36.

Discounts, Abatements, Refunds

Brenda Currier, Abatement	\$ 23.84	
William Stocker, Abatement	27.60	
David Erickson, Abatement	25.75	
Baptist Pond Trust, Abatement	695.91	
Cynthia Anderson, Tax Collector	408.98	
Allan Wilson, Abatement	35.88	
Angel L. Dopazo, Abatement	360.85	
Howard Freil, Abatement	41.04	
William D. Shea, Abatement	123.10	
Ethel W. Wheaton, Abatement	379.76	
Carol Weiss, Abatement	475.03	
George Thomson, Abatement	413.26	
William Howard, Abatement	77.42	
Jeffrey Milne, Abatement	87.03	
Harry Ulrich, Abatement	94.82	
James and Diana Seamans, Abatement	136.75	
Clifford and Elizabeth Swenson, Abatement	97.50	
Helene Byrne, Abatement	487.46	
Richard S. Kidder, Abatement	70.75	
Alfred Cote and Everett Reney, Abatement	151.96	
Cynthia Anderson, Yield Tax Deposits	1,360.00	
Treasurer, State of N.H. Appeal Charges		
on Abatement of Tender, Costs	103.90	
Arnold Putney, Refund	6.00	
Robert W. Jenkins, Refund	3.00	
		\$5,687.59

DETAIL 37.

Temporary Loans

New London Trust Co., 1984 Tax Anticipation Note	\$250,000.00
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DETAIL 38.

State & County

Treasurer, Sullivan County	\$79,325.00
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DETAIL 39.

Precincts

New London Water Precinct	\$ 2,615.00	
Eastman Village District	<u>6,420.00</u>	
		\$ 9,035.00

DETAIL 40.

School District

Kearsarge Regional School	\$346,815.21
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DETAIL 41.

Retirement and Social Security

Treasurer, State of N.H. Administrative Cost	\$ 5.45	
Treasurer, State of N.H., Town Share, Soc. Sec.	<u>2,679.74</u>	
		\$2,685.19

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS

A list of Cemetery Trust Funds is posted at the town offices and anyone wishing information about any of these may contact the trustees and a complete report of the funds in question will be given. All cemetery trust funds are invested at the Lake Sunapee Savings Bank in 2½ year certificates at 10% interest.

<i>Balance of Principal</i>	<i>New Trust Funds</i>	<i>Balance of Principal</i>
<i>12/31/83</i>	<i>Estb. 1984</i>	<i>12/31/84</i>
<i>*\$6,990.00</i>	<i>none</i>	<i>\$6,990.00</i>
<i>Income Balance</i>	<i>Income</i>	<i>Income</i>
<i>12/31/83</i>	<i>earned</i>	<i>expended</i>
<i>\$770.42</i>	<i>\$707.75</i>	<i>\$596.25</i>
		<i>12/31/84</i>
		<i>\$881.92</i>

**Error in last year's report balance showed as \$6,890.00 should have been \$6,990.00.*

CAPITAL RESERVE AND OTHER SPECIAL FUNDS

Name of Fund	Balance 12/31/83	Interest	Income	Expended 12/31/84	Balance
Highway Equip.	\$11,374.99	\$ 947.81	\$ 2,000.00	\$11,300.00	\$ 3,022.80
Geo. & B. J. Green					
Library Fund	1,500.91	192.21	193.12	1,500.00	
TOTALS	\$12,875.90	\$ 1,140.02	\$ 2,000.00	\$11,493.12	\$ 4,522.80

The following accounts have been transferred to the Town Treasurer per instructions from the Dept. of Revenue Administration.

C.B. Robinson Fund	\$ 650.53
Royal Arch Fund	9,793.36
Town of Springfield	
Cemetery Improvement	<u>1,271.68</u>
TOTAL	\$11,715.57

This is to certify that the information in these reports is complete and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

BARBARA RENEY-Chairperson
Carlisse Wilson
Beverly McIntire

AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Citizens of the Town of Springfield, N.H.

I have examined the financial statements of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Tax Collector, Town Clerk, Trustees of the Trust Funds, and other Town Officers. I have compared their accounts, vouchers, and bank statements of funds on deposit, and find these records to be in agreement, and I believe these records to be a true record of the town business for the year ending December 31, 1984.

ELIZABETH L. GREEN
Auditor

January 31, 1985

CEMETERY COMMISSION FINANCIAL REPORT - 1984

Swift Fund Balance as of 12-31-83	\$ 203.77	
Interest	<u>10.56</u>	\$ 214.33
Balance in Checkbook as of 12/31/84	\$ 247.99	
Money from Trust Fund 5/15/84	52.27	
7/25/84	19.77	
12/18/84	<u>524.21</u>	\$ 844.24
DISBURSEMENTS:		
Barbara Reney, Flowers, Memorial Day	\$ 19.53	
Wages	692.28	
Russell LeBrecht, Expenses	104.00	
Bristol and Sweet Associates, Cemetery Map	<u>35.00</u>	
Total Disbursements		\$ 850.81
Less Town Budget, 1984		<u>200.00</u>
		650.81
Balance in Checkbook as of 12-31-84		193.43
Check to Town of Springfield, N.H.		631.28

CIVIL DEFENSE REPORT

During the past year, we kept in close contact with the State Civil Defense Agency during the flooding in June, filling out necessary papers, attending meetings and keeping the selectmen informed as to what was going on and the aid that was available to the town should it be needed.

We again updated our emergency plans and annexes which is required so that we can get necessary aid if needed. We attended state emergency planning seminars in Keene and Concord, and we continue to train in all phases of natural and nuclear type disasters. Thank you for your support in the last year.

FRANK ANDERSON
Civil Defense Director

SPRINGFIELD CONSERVATION COMMISSION

The Conservation Commission undertook a number of projects during the year. We arranged to have some dead trees removed from behind the Library. We started a review of the Town Forests. To date members of the Commission have visited five of the Town Forest lots. As a result of our tours, we have recommended that two of the lots be logged.

A proposal for the exchange of land was worked out with Kneiland Wheeler. The purpose of the proposed exchange is to increase the size of the lot that the Town Hall, Library and Highway buildings are on. Stanley Rastallis is doing the necessary survey work, and the proposal will be submitted to the Town for a vote at a later date.

Janet Booker attended the annual meeting of the NH Association of Conservation Commissions. The meeting focused on groundwater issues.

The Conservation Commission meets the first Thursday of each month in the basement of the Memorial Building.

MICHAEL HOWARD, Chairman
Janet Booker, Sec./Treas.
Paul Currier
Hank Kidder
B. Manning

SPRINGFIELD VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

Annual Report for Year 1984

I wish to extend my appreciation to all the Volunteer Firemen for their hard work and interest in the prevention of fire. The protection to homeowners against fire losses in Springfield was greatly increased by their efforts. The department made noticable progress toward the goal of updating equipment to meet the fire service technology of today. It was a must!

During the year, volunteer members activated a fund drive which was quite successful. All contributors can be assured that the monies collected greatly assisted in the purchase of needed equipment, i.e. new breathing apparatus and lighting for the protection of the firemen.

The Fire Department has begun installing dry fire hydrants. The first installation was at the Town Beach area. This included a survey and selection of possible sites; and applications to dredge and fill from Concord plus the permission from the property owners concerned. We hope to install additional hydrants in the designated areas within the next year.

Respectfully submitted,

MAC CHARLES

Fire Chief

TO REPORT A FIRE — CALL 1-643-2222

GIVE NAME — GRID NUMBER AND ALPHABET LETTER

Maps and phone stickers are available at the Town Office Building.

HEALTH OFFICER, ANNUAL REPORT, 1984

Repeated culturing of Baptist Pond and Lake Kolelemook have made it quite clear that it is unsafe to use either pond as a source of untreated drinking water. There is little hope that this will change in the future and the ponds return to their pristine condition. In addition, a point source of contamination was found in Kolelemook that raised the bacterial contamination to the point that it was unsafe to swim in a very small area of the pond. The State Water Supply and Pollution Board has promised to find the source of contamination and remedy it. One can only hope that they would try to preserve a major town asset.

Increased building in the town is going to increase the pressures on other water sources. Unless the occupancy ordinance voted at the last town meeting and the State Regulations for septic systems are enforced individual wells will eventually be contaminated.

The State has ordered the Newport Sewage System to stop polluting the Sugar River. The effect of this on Springfield is to force it to find a new means of disposing of its septage derived from pumping out septic tanks within the town. The optimal method is to spread it on fields where it enriches the soil. We are currently looking at sites within the town as well as sites in surrounding towns which would be cooperative efforts. The cost of maintaining such sites indefinitely is minimal. The cost of purchasing and preparing such a site should be reasonable, because even if we plan for double the present population, we would only need two acres, though it might be a good idea to have a third acre as a buffer zone.

Respectfully submitted,
ROBERT Z. KLEIN, MD
Health Officer

SPRINGFIELD HISTORICAL SOCIETY

On May 1st, the society will reach its second year of organization and since that humble beginning with a hand full of town residents — our membership has grown in great strides. Many of this number hail from the local area, but some come from as far off as Florida, Virginia, and Arizona.

The month of June was a milestone. We became incorporated by filing the proper documents with the Secretary of the State of New Hampshire. August 13th added to that documentation by being accepted by the Internal Revenue Service as a tax-exempt organization.

On Sunday, July 8th, we held our first annual flea market and antique fair. About 18 vendors arrived early in the morning to set up and sell their wares. Thanks to all who worked on the project. We shall continue to hold this event each year, and we invite all to join by renting a space. Hope to hear from you with reservations for space this coming July.

August marked our first “Recognition Day” celebration. Invitations were sent to senior citizens of the town for a party to be held at the Town Hall from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Sunday, August 12th. A very social time was had by all, light refreshments were served. We hope that this event will grow in the years to come.

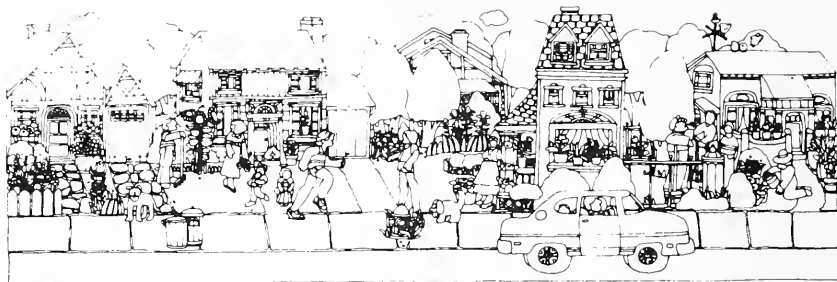
This past January, we began our first film/lecture series funded by the New Hampshire Council for the Humanities, entitled “America.” This same series was first introduced on PBS television starring Alistair Cooke. At this writing, we have negotiated for 3 lectures, but plan to extend this to 9 in total. Please watch for our ads appearing in The Kearsarge Shopper. These lectures are held on the second Thursday of each month at 7:30 p.m. in the Memorial Building, Lower Level.

We are still working on the transfer of the house and land promised by Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Malone of Westport, Conn. We have asked Allen Wilson of the town to survey this land in order to complete a sub-division and transfer.

At Town Meeting, we shall again promote our membership expansion. We hope that you will participate in our goal to collect and preserve material which may help to illustrate the history of Springfield, the area, its settlement, development, progress and population.

The society welcomes new members.

Respectfully submitted,
ROBERT E. MOORE
President



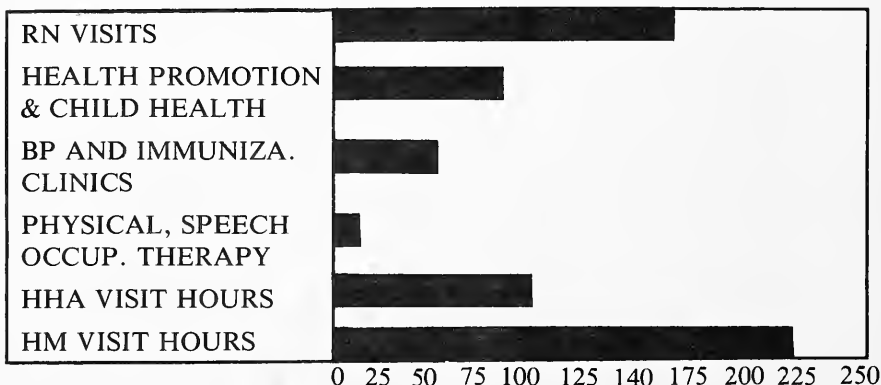
**“WHEN IT COMES TO HEALTH CARE,
THERE’S NO PLACE LIKE HOME . . .**

KEARSARGE VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION ANNUAL REPORT OF SERVICES

Kearsarge Visiting Nurse Association services have expanded 36% this year to meet the increased needs of our town residents. Did you know that .

1. Kearsarge VNA provides services to children from birth to school age.
2. Free evaluation visits are offered to all our residents.
3. Kearsarge VNA works with the physician and hospital of the patient’s choice.
4. In addition to professional services, our new TLC private duty program is available around the clock.
5. A nurse can be reached 24 hours a day by dialing 526-4077.

Below are the services we provided to your town in 1984.



Robin Gallup, RN
Co-director

Tanya Wilkie, RN
Co-director

Your Town Representatives on our Board of Directors are:

Mrs. Dona Chiarella

Dr. Robert Klein

GRANTHAM-SPRINGFIELD KINDERGARTEN

ANNUAL REPORT - 1984

As of December 31st, our ninth kindergarten class consisted of 20 delightful children; 14 boys and only 6 girls. But to our amazement, they are quite manageable.

Academically we are progressing very well. We've added the writing and reading of "Big Books" to the prereading program of phonics, sight words and story comprehension. We have written as a group **The Billy Goats Gruff** and **The Three Little Pigs** so far. Math continues to be individualized as does handwriting.

This year we started walking to the Libbie Cass Library when weather permitted. Celeste Klein and Muriel Tinkham helped make the weekly trips informative. We will continue the excursions when the snow leaves.

We also visited the Grantham Fire Department and the Montshire Museum where we learned about fossils and made a sample of our own. In November we traveled to Colby-Sawyer College for the original production of "Frostbite Follies."

Open House in November was again a delight as the children demonstrated a good sampling of the learning equipment we use to a packed room of parents and families. We had 100% attendance that night and introduced a new read-at-home system. The response has been terrific. In a month's time, many children were "crowned" four and five times; ten books read to a crowning. We're pleased.

A special thanks to Mabel Patten who has come in again 5 days a week due to the large class. Also thanks to the wonderful parents who help with snack and art: Sandy Hanscom, Koreen Bridgeo, Martha Jones, Rosie Hautaniemi, Marsha Burt, and Pat Fountain. And, of course, thanks to Elba and Lucy Jillson. What would we do without their constant efforts to keep us shipshape? But most of all thanks to the parents. You have truly blessed us all with your beautiful children.

Fondly,
JANET BOOKER, teacher

Springfield

Susan Alexander
John Chartier
Robert Cross
Benjamin Crowell
Todd Hanscom
Neal Hummel
Jessie Milne
Christina Moulton
Jeffrey Moulton
Aaron Reney

Grantham

Douglas Alen
Matthew Burt
Jared Demers
Anthony Dickerson
Christopher Emery
Thomas Hautaniemi
Trisha Kimball
Timothy Pillsbury
Megan Underhill

Tuition: Croydon

David Bridgeo
Kennith Jones
Nichole Currier

New London
Alexander MacDonald

LIBBIE A. CASS ANNUAL REPORT - 1984

This year has seen many changes in our library program and also in our committee. Our first concern was to find a librarian. We made Celeste Klein interim librarian and then in May she resigned as trustee to become permanent librarian. She is well qualified for the job and puts in many more hours than the two per week for which she receives minimum wages.

Marilyn Johnson was named by the selectmen to replace Celeste. This fall Beverly McIntire resigned effective Dec. 1. Sue Anderson has been appointed to her place. We thank Bev for the time she has given us through the years and welcome Sue to our board. She has been a loyal volunteer for several years.

Anna Harmon has continued teaching the recorder this year in the library; the Historical Society has also continued to meet there. We have instituted a series of exhibits — dolls, kitchen utensils, farm tools, Playhouse programs, various children's collections and our current display of art work by Anna Harmon and Elizabeth Bushueff.

During the summer Celeste Klein and Priscilla Meyer conducted a story hour and this fall Janet Booker has brought the kindergarten on weekly visits to the library. We have had two reading programs for children this year. Liana D'Amico was the winner of our first program and Jeffery Patten was the top reader in our latest one.

We were glad to give again a scholarship to one of our graduating seniors at Kearsarge. Melissa Patten was our 1984 recipient; she is currently attending Plymouth State.

In September we instituted a very successful tutoring program available to any Springfield student. So far we have worked with 20 students — some short term, others on a continuing basis. We wish to thank the teachers and guidance personnel in the schools, our faithful volunteers and especially all those patrons who have been patient with the confusion they have sometimes found.

In October we had a workshop for making felt Christmas ornaments. On Dec. 15th we had our annual Christmas party with more than 60 people attending. Trish Lindberg, Kathy Lowe-Block and Richard Lindberg provided the entertainment. Santa Claus had gifts for all the children. We want to thank Fun and Games in New London for their generous support in this project.

During the year we have received many gifts. The PRFA gave us money to be used for the children in Springfield. We also have the income from the Green Trust Fund to purchase additional books. Substantial gifts of books, magazines and/or money were received from the Fairfax Downeys, Lilja Rudner, and Mary Ellin and Jessica Cameron. In the spring a framed collection of first day covers came to us from Eva Gardner, former postmistress in Springfield. Others have seen our needs and have provided us with a typewriter, folding chairs, Christmas ornaments, cookies, a water jug, pens, books from their personal collections, many things both large and small — all important to and appreciated by us. To these 30 or more friends we say thank you for thinking of us and lending a helping hand.

Our latest gift will benefit not only the library but also all citizens of our town. It is a Toshiba copier. The Lake Sunapee Savings Bank, Sugar River Savings Bank, New London Trust Company and Dartmouth National Bank joined together in this purchase. We are extremely grateful to them.

Our library could not function without volunteers. It is only with their help that we can stay open 8 hours a week and offer the various programs and exhibits. Our trustees and librarian each give the library extra hours, but so do many others. If we put a price tag on it, it would total in the thousands. We all owe our volunteers and donors many thanks.

This year our building has been painted and we have a new back door. A new magazine rack has been donated. If we are to continue to expand and to offer tutoring, we must find additional space. In the coming year this will be one of our chief concerns. We always are looking for more volunteers either to tutor or to be at the desk.

The library is here to serve the people. Let us know how we can help you.

MURIEL E. TINKHAM,
Chairperson
MARILYN JOHNSON
SUE ANDERSON

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

Number of books January, 1984		7,971
Books purchased		
Adult	258	
Children	64	
Books donated		
Adult	167	
Children	136	
Books discarded	<u>-2</u>	
Number of books, December, 1984		8,594
Books loaned		
Adult	1,303	
Children	<u>1,193</u>	
		2,496

Library hours: Tuesday 3-5, 6-8 P.M., Thursday 3-7 P.M.

New Services: A tape recorder and books with read-along tapes have been purchased this year. In view of the popularity of the latter and their usefulness for beginning readers, more will be added to the collection.

Tape recorders and talking books were secured for two patrons from the State Library Services for the Handicapped.

Thanks to Amy Anderson, Elizabeth Bushuoff, Mary Ellen Cameron, Terry Davis, Anna Harmon, Priscilla Meyer, Barbara Reney, Nancy Vanderwart, Joanne Wheeler and the Trustees for their many hours of service. It is only with the help of these faithful volunteers that the library can be open eight hours a week.

CELESTE KLEIN,
Librarian

1984 PLANNING BOARD ANNUAL REPORT

The Springfield Planning Board held 12 regular meetings in 1984 and also met in one special meeting in March to elect 2 Alternates to the Planning Board. Regular meetings are held on the 3rd Tuesday of every month.

Action was taken in the following categories: 11 subdivision approvals, 2 annexation approvals, 6 driveway permit approvals. The Board amended its subdivision regulations at a hearing held at its May meeting and a new supply of regulations was printed.

Continuing liason was maintained with The Upper Valley-Lake Sunapee Council and the Sullivan County Engineer. Their expert help has been greatly appreciated.

Board members George Thomson and Janet Booker attended meetings throughout the year concerning subjects such as soils, ground water, and municipal law.

This year the Board hopes to start updating the town's Master Plan through the help of the various committees and agencies that contributed to the original plan.

Special thanks should also be given to Janet Booker who has done a wonderful job as Secretary and for her job of completing the base map soils display.

Board Members: RICHARD KIDDER, Chairman
JANET BOOKER, Secretary
MICHAEL KANCER
GEORGE THOMSON
ALLEN WILSON
DAVID RENEY
ARNOLD PUTNEY, Selectman
LOUISE JACEWICZ, Alternate
CONNIE JONES, Alternate

UPPER VALLEY-LAKE SUNAPEE COUNCIL

The Upper Valley-Lake Sunapee Council is a public, non-profit voluntary association of towns and cities in the Upper Valley and Lake Sunapee area. Our thirty-one (31) communities are in two states and five counties.

The Council consists of a Board of Directors and a professional staff. Each town or city annually appropriates funds for the Council's operation and sends two representatives to participate on the Board of Directors. The Board elects officers, adopts the annual work program and budget, and develops policies and positions on issues that are important to UV-LSC communities.

The Upper Valley-Lake Sunapee Council is the official organization that brings towns and cities within our region together. By bonding together and pooling their resources, local governments have a highly trained, professional staff available to them for a wide variety of services. Areas of expertise include land use planning, master planning, economic and community development, water quality management, transportation, landscape architecture, housing, capital budgeting, historic preservation, downtown revitalization, solid waste planning, recreation and fiscal and environmental impact analysis. The Council also serves as a collective voice for these towns and cities in dealings with state and federal governments, thereby protecting and furthering the needs and interests of our communities.

The Council has continued to expand its staff capabilities over the past year. Staff members include Robert Varney, Executive Director; Vicki Smith, Senior Planner; Lisa Mausolf, Historic Preservation Specialist; Gregg Lantos, Transportation Planner; Tad Redway, Landscape Architect and Planner; Melinda Artman, Community Development Coordinator; John Olmstead, Housing Rehabilitation Specialist; Susan Elder, Economic Development Specialist; Lee Ann Scully, Assistant Planner; Jim Klinger, Draftsman; and Barbara Belloir, Jeanne Riley and Lori Brown, Secretaries. These staff members have greatly expanded the level and range of expertise available to our communities.

The Council has been busy working on a variety of regional programs during the past year. The following is a brief summary of some of our regional activities:

- ° provided administrative and planning services to the Upper Valley Solid Waste District, a bi-state district with 15 member communities;
- ° developed regional septage management plans which will become components of the solid waste plans for the Sullivan County, Upper Valley and Pemi-Baker Solid Waste Districts.

- ° prepared a regional transportation development plan and participated on regional transportation advisory committees (Lebanon Regional Airport, Advance Transit);
- ° continued the regional historic preservation program, including historic surveys, national register nominations and historic preservation plans;
- ° established the Sullivan County Economic Development Program to retain and expand employment opportunities in Sullivan County;
- ° completed phase one of the Lake Sunapee Management Plan, including survey of all properties around the lake;
- ° co-sponsored a successful Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day, groundwater protection seminar and Municipal Law Lecture Series;
- ° provided economic, population, housing and other data to communities, organizations, banks, real estate firms and consultants for use in fiscal studies, market analyses and grant applications.

As requested by communities, the Council prepared applications for state and federal funds, evaluated development proposals, prepared amendments to local zoning, subdivision, site plan review and other local regulations and provided mapping, drafting and other planning assistance.

The UV-LSC has also provided a number of specific services to the Town of Springfield over the past year, including: attending meetings with the Board of Selectmen to discuss Community Development Block Grant programs and solid waste alternatives; typing and printing new subdivision and site plan review regulations, and during the coming years the Council will assist the community on evaluating sites for future recreation facilities.

The Council's staff of professionals stands ready to assist your community in addressing the planning and growth management issues which you will face during the coming year. We also encourage you to become more familiar and involved with the Council, since we are essentially an arm of local government addressing your needs.

POLICE DEPARTMENT REPORT - 1984

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of the Springfield residents for their help in making 1984 a good year. It is all the little telephone calls that help to prevent crime.

Thank you also to Grantham, Sunapee and New London Police Departments for their help and quick response when they were needed.

It's been a pleasure serving the people of Springfield during the year 1984 and I look forward to being your Police Chief in 1985.

Alarms	13	Domestic	5
Accidents	14	Littering	2
Assists — Motor Vehicle	28	Abandon Vehicle	2
Medical Emergency	2	Animal Bite	2
Burglary	3	Dog Complaints	38
Untimely Death	2	Suspicious Persons	3
Security Checks	16	Summons	14
Trespass	1	Warnings	39

RUSSELL R. LeBRECHT
Chief

RECREATION COMMISSION REPORT

At the close of 1984, we would like to thank Ora Philbrick, Janet LeBrecht, Don Gambino and George Bresnahan for the time and effort put into the previous year's activities, especially the ever popular Red Cross swimming program.

As new members, we plan to have some fun events for everyone and to renew those efforts necessary for the future recreation center in the Town of Springfield.

The skating party, that was held in January, was a successful day, thanks to those who came to skate and to those who came to work.

We are open for suggestions of the activities that you would enjoy in the future. Also, those wishing to do volunteer work with us will be appreciated.

Respectfully submitted:

BARRY DASHNER, Chairman
DIANE CHARLES
CYNTHIA ANDERSON

SCHOOL BOARD REPORT

The School Board is presently working on the budget for the coming year. As usual, every effort is being made to hold cost increases to a minimum.

Asbestos has been removed from the schools in the District. The E.P.A. commended the Board for its actions in handling the asbestos problem in the schools.

The School Building Committee has met regularly to assess the building needs in the District. This Committee is made up of the nine School Board Members and two members from each town in the District. The members from Springfield are Helen Charpentier and Andy D'Amico. The Committee recommended that the Board enlist professional services to evaluate the solutions to the various building needs noted by the Committee.

Kearsarge Regional High School received special recognition as an exemplary institution of secondary education from the U.S. Secretary of Education, Dr. Terrell Bell. Everyone of us should be proud of the outstanding effort put forth by the citizens, students, principals, teachers, and the School Board members of the Kearsarge Regional District.

The Annual Meeting will take place at KRHS on March 23, 1985, beginning at 1:00 P.M. All Taxpayers are urged to attend.

Respectfully submitted,
CONSTANCE JONES

School Board Member

NEW LONDON-SPRINGFIELD WATER SYSTEM PRECINCT REPORT

In 1984, the Commissioners released their comprehensive "Management Study of the New London-Springfield Water System Precinct." The report detailed the urgent requirement for (a) an adequate potable water storage reservoir close to the center of New London, (b) treatment of water from surface sources to insure bacteriological purity, eliminate discoloration and remove particulate matter, (c) development of a reliable source of potable water to meet rapidly growing demand, and (d) essential improvements to the Precinct's distribution system to provide adequate fire protection and complete control of operations.

At this year's annual meeting (March 19, 1985) voters must decide whether they are content with the inadequacies of the existing system or are prepared to bring the system into compliance with the Safe Drinking Water Act (Public Law 96-502, as amended) and the standards of the New Hampshire Water Supply & Pollution Control Commission.

George Green
Precinct Clerk

SPRINGFIELD F.A.S.T. SQUAD

This past year saw the recertification of two EMT's, one at the State level and one at National Level; the loss of one EMT, and the addition of one Basic First-Aider. Recertification was completed in the EMT-1 level also.

We continue to work closely with the Fire and Police Departments and our mutual aid towns.

Remember that help is only minutes away. If a medical emergency arises — call New London Dispatch at 526-2626 and the Squad members will be alerted by the means of pagers, along with the New London Ambulance. The Squad is looking for new members; if interested call Frank Anderson at 763-9686.

Total Runs in 1984

22

SQUAD MEMBERS

FRANK ANDERSON, Chief-EMT-I

CYNTHIA ANDERSON, 1st Responder

JOANNE WADDELL, EMT-II

WILLIAM ANDERSON, 1st Responder

DOROTHY ANDERSON, EMT

HOWARD ANDERSON, Advanced First Aid

SPRINGFIELD SOLID WASTE COMMISSION - 1984 REPORT

The identification and evaluation of available solid waste options continued in 1984 in pursuit of the Commission's objective to develop an economical and convenient system for transfer/transportation and final processing/disposal in accordance with Town Meeting instructions. There has been continuing close liason with the Selectmen.

The Town was represented in regional and sub-regional activities as before. George Thomson is the Town's representative for the Upper Valley Solid Waste District and Jay Booker and George Green are alternates. District membership complies with statutory requirements and ensures participation in the development of the District plan. Kim Booker has contributed to that plan and has been very helpful to the Commission on a regular basis.

The Solid Waste Commission also explored possible intermunicipal arrangements with various towns in the area and at year's end was attempting to arrive at the specific costs of such options. It is anticipated that such costs will be available for comparison and analysis in January of 1985 and that the Commission will be able to report on them at a Hearing well in advance of Town Meeting.

GEORGE THOMSON
JAY BOOKER
GEORGE GREEN

TOWN BUILDING COMMITTEE REPORT

During the year 1984, the following items were accomplished:

LIBRARY —

Exterior clapboards repaired and painted as necessary.

HIGHWAY GARAGE —

Clapboards replaced.

Chimney secured.

Tiles cemented on chimney.

Furnace cleaned and adjusted.

New entrance door and frame installed.

Committee Recommendations

For 1985 the following repairs will be reviewed:

HIGHWAY GARAGE —

New roof.

TOWN HALL —

Sill replacement.

Handicap access at entrance.

Handicap bathroom facilities.

MEMORIAL BUILDING —

Handicap access at entrance.

Handicap bathroom facilities.

Plans to repair and waterproof foundation.

Sill repairs at outside entrance to Selectmen's office.

Investigate the possibility of a Federal or State grant to conduct a feasibility study of the needs of the town with particular reference to all town buildings and facilities.

Submitted:

JAY BOOKER

JANET H. LEBRECHT

Building Committee Members

NEW LONDON HOSPITAL REPORT — 1984

The year ended on a true high, with the near completion of the new building project. In celebration, the annual hospital Christmas party was held on December 15th on the new premises. The January 13th annual meeting was held there as well, with a tour being provided for guests, as well as the formal dedication of the building to all employees, past and present. It is anticipated that the public will be even better served.

The ambulance service now enjoys 100% participation of all the towns involved.

As a result of an ongoing dialogue with the Kearsarge Visiting Nurse Association, new quarters are being provided for them. This has met with great enthusiasm by the KVNA staff, and the dialogue will continue.

The rehabilitation services of New London Hospital occupational and physical therapy are now being provided to Newport and Valley Regional hospitals, as well as New London Hospital.

A new service was introduced, i.e. the evening outpatient clinic, nightly from 6:30-9:00 p.m. This will serve those who need non-emergency service during these hours. A flat fee of \$25.00 is being charged.

A series of tours of the hospital was developed and to date includes one for "newcomers" to the community, the Andover Service Club, and KVNA Board of Trustees and staff members.

Hospital Day was the usual successful event, generating substantial funds. The Development Fund generously exceeded last year's contributions. All of this has enabled the hospital to reduce the long range loan required for the new building, thus affording every participant a real stake in the project.

Plans are already developing for Hospital Day '85, with the general chairmen as well as essential committee chairmen already committed.

JOHN CHIARELLA,
Town Representative

Births Registered in the Town of Springfield, N.H. for the Year Ending December 31, 1984

Date	Place of Birth	Name of Child	Father's Name	Mother's Name
3/14/84	New London, N.H.	Megan Margaret Manning	Bernard Joseph Manning, Jr.	Mary Elizabeth Weightman
4/1/84	Lebanon, N.H.	Cody Steven Patten	Steven Loren Patten	Janice Annette Tallman
7/12/84	Hanover, N.H.	Sarah Elizabeth Moulton	Timothy Gene Moulton	Erin Elizabeth Moulton
7/16/84	New London, N.H.	Jacob Luther Howard	Michael James Howard	Nancy Jane Edgar
7/16/84	Lebanon, N.H.	Albert George Wood III	Albert George Wood, Jr.	Dorothy Marie Patten
7/17/84	New London, N.H.	Jennifer Marie Ireland	Scott David Ireland	Katherine Lee Carpenter
10/29/84	Lebanon, N.H.	Benjamin Patt Wheeler	Edward Clifton Wheeler	Jill Elaine Souther

I hereby certify that the above returns are correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.
CYNTHIA ANDERSON, Town Clerk

Deaths Registered in the Town of Springfield, N.H. for the Year Ending December 31, 1984

Date	Name of Deceased	Age	Place	Father	Mother	Burial
5/13/84	Lea A. Bessette	72	Springfield, N.H.	Frabe' Santerre	Marie Desmarais	Winooski, Vt.
5/16/84	Sidney L. Griggs III	42	Springfield, N.H.	Sidney L. Griggs, Jr.	Florence Hester	East Washington, N.H.
6/20/84	Carl F. Lewis	86	New London, N.H.	James Lewis	Annie Schell	Bradford, N.H.
9/1/84	Elmer E. Wright	61	New London, N.H.	Harry E. Wright	Editha Ranno	Newport, N.H.

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CYNTHIA ANDERSON, Town Clerk

Marriages Registered in the Town of Springfield, N.H. for the Year Ending December 31, 1984

Date	Groom & Bride	Parents of Groom	Parents of Bride	Officiant
4/29/84	Barney W. Abair Joyce A. Devarney	Edward Abair Eunice Mason	Leroy Devarney Doris Maileot	Bruce Jasper Justice of the Peace Springfield, N.H.
9/2/84	Lawrence H. Love Lorena M. Dart	Henry S. Love Alice Pettingill	Harold W. Young Ethel I. McIlvens	Robert W. Schrader Minister Sunapee, N.H.
10/6/84	Bruce A. Pariseau Kathleen L. Coffey	Frederick Pariseau Reva LaRose	John H. Coffey Marlene Robinson	Derrill P. Crosby Rector Newport, N.H.
10/27/84	Bryan H. O'Day Heidi S. Wasson	Richard O'Day Alberta Putney	Theodore Wasson Evelyn LeBreve	Sharron A. King Justice of the Peace Claremont, N.H.
12/8/84	Michael E. McMahon Jean D. Trueman	Edward J. McMahon Romaine Peters	John A. F. Trueman Priscilla Lou Burke	Bradford C. White Justice of the Peace New London, N.H.

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